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SUPERSTITIONS PAST AND PRESENT.—The recent burning alive of a man and woman accused of witchcraft, in a village of Mexico, has led to a good deal of holy outgurgling from the American press as to the prevalent superstition and barbarism of that unhappy country. There is no doubt that Mexico is behind the age in railroads, general intelligence, and the other various appliances of civilization, but it is well to remember that there are thousands of persons in our own country who repose implicit belief in the professors of demonology and magic, and hundreds of farmers who still locate their wells by the use of the hazel branch as a divining rod, or who cure their cattle of real or imaginary sickness by practicing "spells" upon them. In Louisiana, and if we mistake not, other parts of the country, Voodooism retains considerable hold upon the devotion of the negroes, and in several of our large cities there are scores of persons who make their livings by fortune telling, providing amulets to ward off disease and danger, and in furnishing love philters to aid foolish swains and damsels in securing the object of their affections.

Considering the prevalence of the belief in witchcraft at one time in Europe, and even in our own country, it is matter of congratulation that so few vestiges of the witchcraft delusion still remain. In the reign of Francis I., King of France, but little more than three centuries ago, more than one hundred thousand witches are said to have been put to death. The first sultans in America brought with them the demoniac traditions of Europe, and fearful judicial condemnations of witchcraft began in Salem, Massachusetts, in 1692. The mania, first detected in the strange caprices of a little girl, spread through the community, and the Puritan saint, Cotton Mather, regarded "the assault of the evil angels upon the country as a particular defiance unto himself." After hanging an old Irish woman and imprisoning an Indian woman on the charge of witchcraft, the divines and learned men of New England encouraged arrests, and proclaimed that the devil was making an effort to gain the victory over the saints. The result was that in one year twenty of the small population had been executed, among them a clergyman and several of the most respectable citizens of Massachusetts. Eight were condemned, one hundred and fifty in prison awaiting trial, and two hundred more accused, while a considerable number of the suspected had fled the country, when a reaction took place, which, in connection with King William's veto of the witchcraft act, put an end to the persecutions. As not two centuries have passed since the clergy, the college presidents, and judiciary of New England hung and pressed to death alleged possessors of supernatural power, it might be as well to view the rare occurrences of this kind in Mexico, where the scope of intelligence is low, and the area of scientific investigation has not been enlarged, with charitable eyes.—*Balt. Sun.*

WIVES WHO HENPECK.—An ill-kept and disorderly home must inevitably breed discontent and bad feeling in any household; but that is no reason why cleanliness should be valued more than happiness. There are a class of women, excellent in their way, who make life burdensome to all around them by their excessive neatness and order. "We know a poor farmer who hardly dares enter his own kitchen, lest some undiscovered spot of mud on his boots should soil his wife's immaculate floor; and if such an unfortunate event ever happens he is made to feel the heinousness of his crime for one day at least. If he should chance to retort that the spot of mud was hardly worth the fuss made over it, immediately his wife becomes more irate than ever, and by her unending nagging actually drives him from the house to the society of his cows and horses, who at least possess the negative virtue of being dumb." Ah, madam, better let your kitchen be dirty from morning till night than lose the love of a kind husband. These wives who henpeck are unendurable; no love or tenderness can subdue their bickerings. If every want be not instantly gratified, they accuse their husbands of not caring for them, and either vent their dissatisfaction in angry words, or release into sulky silence. Can you wonder that the husbands of such women seek refuge in the ale-house or billiard hall? We close this protest with an anecdote which has a grimly ludicrous moral, since it illustrates the moral value of henpecking in one instance at least: A man living in Canada recently confessed that six years ago he killed a man in Wisconsin. As a reason for this confession he stated that whenever there was an unpleasantness between himself and his wife she would always aggravate him by bringing up the murder. Driven to desperation by this constant "nagging," he determined to seek the tender mercies of the law, and a refuge from domestic unhappiness in prison.

ANCIENT WAR CLAIMS.—The Senate committee on revolutionary claims has agreed to report a bill giving to Samuel S. Gouverneur, the grandson and administrator of the late President Monroe, the half pay due Mr. Monroe as a lieutenant colonel of the Virginia Line during the revolutionary war. In May, 1779, the Virginia Legislature passed an act giving half pay during life to all officers commanding troops for the defense of the Commonwealth, or of the United States. Mr. Monroe commanded a regiment. He never received anything from the State, and the committee considering that Congress by the act of August 5, 1790, assumed all the liabilities of the States in this respect, now recommended the passage of a bill paying to his grandson the amount to which Mr. Monroe would have been entitled. The same committee has also agreed to report a bill instructing the commissioner of pensions to take evidence to ascertain the amount due to the heirs of General Rochefort, and to pay to them the sum so found due. General Rochefort was a young Frenchman of fortune, who accompanied Lafayette to this country, and entered the continental service at the same time. He was commissioned by J. H. Hancock a brigadier general in the American army, serving until the end of the revolution, when he was honorably discharged. He never received anything from the United States, and his heirs are now impoverished. Lafayette, on the contrary, was voted large sums of money by Congress and a township of land.

BOATS VERY CHEAP IF SOLD IMMEDIATELY.
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jan 17

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W. M. N. BERKLEY,
je 2

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feb 7

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aug 25

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Also have for sale
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my 21

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An assortment of
READY-MADE WORK
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R. A. SINCLAIR,
jan 7 Commissioner of Accounts.

R. A. SINCLAIR, ATTORNEY AT LAW.
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jan 8-4f

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SITUATED ON THE POTOMAC RIVER, AT ALEXANDRIA.
This property has recently undergone the most thorough repairs, and been arranged for the manufacture of the highest grades of flour. It contains four run of Burrs, with Rubbers, Smutters, Bran Dusters and the most improved Bolting Cloths, of sufficient capacity to manufacture two hundred barrels of flour a day. The Engines and Boilers will afford power for all requirements of the Mill.
Having an extensive wharf on the one side and a connecting track with all the various railroads leading into the city on the other, grain and flour can be handled at the lowest figures. When desirable, the facilities afforded by the numerous railroads leading from the West and Southwest will enable wheat from those sections to be laid down in Alexandria without break of bulk at the lowest competing rates.
The favorite "Valley" and "Friedmont" wheat, which is so much sought after by millers in other cities for the manufacture of choice brands of flour, is received at this point in large quantities direct from the farmers.
Attention is particularly called to the fact that coal and coking—two important items—are as cheap here as at any point on the seaboard, and the nearest to all the Eastern markets and the seat of Government make this one of the best locations in the country.
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USE THE
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Try it and be convinced of its merits.
WATER COLOURS, ENGRAVERS and COQUET, at all prices, wholesale and retail.
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jan 1

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may 19-3m E. J. MILLER'S.

HERRING—Eastern and Potomac—at market rates by
may 18 R. M. LAWSON.

DRY GOODS.
DAMRCE, PUCHY and LLAMA LACE JACKETS.
Another large invoice at
may 25 D. F. WITMER CO'S.

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my 8 D. F. WITMER CO.

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We are furnishing all of the latest styles, made by measure, and a fit guaranteed in every instance. Bosoms one, two or three ply, as desired. Call and have your measure taken.
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ap 21 ROBT. L. WOOD.

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Cambrie Edgings and Insertings, Veilings, Collars and Cuffs, Silk, Leather and Elastic Belts and Buckles, Pearl, Silk, Steel and other Buttons in great variety, Corsets, Ladies' Gents' and Children's Hosiery, Kid Gloves, one and two buttons, Parasols and Sun Umbrellas, with a great variety of other goods.
ap 17

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dec 22

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Popular Dry Goods Store,
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dec 22

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" 62 1/2 to 50c.
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Ladies' and Gentlemen's Underwear, fine stock of Linen Sties, Handkerchiefs, Hosiery, Ruffs, Portmonaies, &c., at 144 King st.
dec 20

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FIVE (5) CENTS A BUSHEL
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ARCTIC SODA WATER
AT
je 5 WARFIELD & HALL'S.

VICHY WATER
AT
je 5 WARFIELD & HALL'S.

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A lot of dirty Salt, suitable for agricultural purposes, for sale by
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A VERY FULL LINE—ALL NUMBERS—
AT
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LADIES' ROMAN TIES AND SHOES, on tirely new style, at
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A large stock with a great variety of new styles, beautiful and very cheap.
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A large stock and great variety of styles, at very reduced prices.
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A fine stock, in every color, style and quality at very reasonable prices.
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A good stock of new styles, of fine quality, and at low prices.
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Large stock and great variety, suitable for old ladies.
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Kip and Calf, good and cheap.
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LADIES' FINE WALKING BOOTS.
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OYSTERS.
JOHN STONE, on the Strand, near the Oyster Dock, will supply his customers with OYSTERS, fresh from the shell, at 75c per gallon. Give him a call.
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JAMES H. DEVAUGHN,
Manufacturer and Dealer in
FURNITURE,
No. 130 King street,
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

LOOKING GLASSES,
HAIR, COTTON TOP
kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices.
In order to secure prompt attention orders should be addressed to
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my 18-4f No. 130 King street.

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Manufacturers of
FURNITURE,
141 and 143 King street,
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A large and fine stock always on hand. jans 25

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STEAM
Furniture Works and Saw Mill
ALEXANDRIA, VA.
Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE, OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING and TURNING, MOULDING, PLANING and CARVING in our line.
Wanted, in exchange for the Furniture, Walnut, Popular, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs.
je 8-4f

WANTED.
1000 EMPTY COAL OIL BARRELS
wanted by
C. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
jan 19 6 Prince street.

WANTED—GOOD BROOM CORN.
C. S. TAYLOR, Jr.,
jan 19 6 Prince street.

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I have on hand a fine assortment of CABINET ORGANS, from the most reputed makers, ranging from \$55 to \$175. They will be sold on time or with a liberal discount for cash. Call and see them at VICTOR BECKER'S Piano and Music Store, 112 King street, next to the Marshall House, Alex., Va.
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No. 56 King street, Alexandria, Virginia.
VIRGINIA, NEAR ARLINGTON, KNOWN AS THE RESIDENCE OF THE LATE JAMES ROACH, FOR SALE.
This estate consists of 224 acres of land, on the south side of the Arlington cemetery, and on the west side of the Alexandria canal, binding on both.
About 140 acres of it is rich bottom land, valuable for agricultural purposes, and especially valuable for its rich deposits of brick clay.
The remaining 84 acre extent of the top of the hill and fronts on the county road from Alexandria to Georgetown. On this is a large BRICK MANSION, with stables and all necessary outbuildings, the site being unexcelled, surpassed by any in the county or vicinity.
The estate has been surveyed and divided into a number of parcels, one of 50 acres, embracing the Mansion House, &c.; another of 44 acres in the bottom, with Frame House, Barn, &c., on the same; another of 35 acres, in the bottom, with no building.
A number of small lots, binding on the Canal, each containing about 7 acres, and other parcels.
In addition to the foregoing, also a tract of land in said county on Four-Mile run, on the county road from Alexandria to Georgetown, about equidistant from Washington, Alexandria and Georgetown, containing about 30 acres, no road and 11 poles. This place has a VALUABLE WATER POWER for either a mill or a factory, and the land is of fair quality.
The foregoing property will be held for private sale until WEDNESDAY, July 1st, 1874, and if not then sold, will be offered on that day at 12 o'clock m., by public auction, at the front door of the Alexandria Corporation Court room, New Market House Building, Alexandria, Va.
Terms: Twenty per cent of the purchase money cash; the residue in three equal installments at six, twelve and eighteen months, respectively, to be secured by the bonds of the purchaser, with good personal security, and a lien on the property. Title to be retained until all payments are made, and land to be resold at purchaser's risk on default in meeting bonds at maturity. For further information inquire of
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COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE.
TAKE notice, that by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, Va., rendered at the August term, 1868, in the suit of Edlin and others, plaintiffs, vs. The Mechanical Building Association, the undersigned, commissioners, under and pursuant to the said decree, will sell, on Friday, the 12th day of July, 1874, at 12 o'clock m., in front of the Mansion House Hotel, in the city of Alexandria, by public auction, the following described REAL ESTATE:
No. 1—L. D. Harrison's LOT, on the west side of Fayette street, between King and Prince, 10 ft. by 81 ft. to a 20 ft. alley, 13 ft. front on the middle of the square, subject to a rent charge of \$6, payable on first July.
No. 2—Hugh Latham's LOT OF GROUND, on Fairfax street, between King and Prince, 32 ft. 9 in. by 125 ft. 9 in.
No. 3—Hugh Latham's TWO-STORY BRICK DWELLING and LOT, on Washington street, between King and Prince, 22 ft. 9 in. by 123 ft. 5 in.
No. 4—Caleb L. Richards' LOT and TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING and LOT, on ground front, on the east side of Payne street, between King and Cameron, 13 ft. by 80 ft. to a 10 ft. alley.
No. 5—Andrew W. Eastlack's TWO-STORY FRAME DWELLING and LOT, on the north side of Queen street, between King and Fairfax, 45 ft. 2 in. by 98 ft. 8 in., 14 ft. 2 in. west of Fairfax street.
Terms: One-tenth of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the residue in 6, 12 and 18 months; the bonds of the purchaser, with good security, bearing interest from the date of sale, to be taken for the deferred payments, and the title to